GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue (Disaster Management) Department - Drought – North East Monsoon 2017–18 - Rabi - Declaration of additional 23 Mandals (15 Mandals as Severe Drought Affected and 8 Mandals as Moderate Drought affected) - Orders – Issued.

REVENUE [DM.II] DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 4 **Dated: 29-03-2018**

Read the following:-

1. Revised Manual for Drought Management, December, 2016.
2. G.O Ms No.1, Revenue (DM) Dept., dt.19.02.2018.
3. G.O Ms No.2, Revenue (DM) Dept., dt. 5.3.2018.
4. Lr.No.574/DM.II/A1/2017, Revenue (DM) Dept. Dt. 28-02-2018.
5. Proposals received from the District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu Districts.
6. Minutes of the meeting of the Committee on Drought held on 23.03.2018.

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ORDER:

In the references 2nd & 3rd read above, Government declared 98 Mandals (Severe -63, Moderate -35) in 5 Districts i.e (43 severe & 12 moderate); SPS Nellore (15 severe); YSR Kadapa (4 sever & 8 moderate); Ananthapuramu (15 moderate) and Vizianagaram (1 sever) – as Drought affected in Rabi-2017-18.

2. In the reference 5th read above, the District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu have submitted proposals for additional 30 and 08 Mandals respectively for declaration as Drought affected in Rabi-2017-18.

3. The Committee constituted in the reference 1st read above, has met on 23.03.2018 and scrutinized the proposals submitted by the District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu with reference to the guidelines prescribed by Government of India revised manual for Drought Management-2016 and recommended to the Government for declaration of 23 Mandals (15 Severe, 8 Moderate) as Drought affected Mandals during Rabi-2017-18.

4. Government after careful examination, and keeping in view of the reports furnished by District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu in the reference 5th read above and as recommended by the above Committee, hereby declare 23 additional Mandals also [as in Annexure-II] – 15 Mandals categorized as severe Drought in YSR Kadapa and 8 as moderate Drought in Ananthapuramu District in addition to the 98 Mandals declared earlier as Drought affected in the references 2nd & 3rd read above. Thus the total Mandals declared as drought affected in the State are 121 (80+18+23), during Drought Rabi -2018.

5. The District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu Districts shall ensure deletion of the notified municipal/urban areas and areas falling under permanent assured irrigation sources, Urban Mandals which are not declared as drought affected, shall be treated on par with drought affected Mandals for the purpose of drinking water. The District Collector of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu shall issue the notification in the District Gazette as mentioned in Annexure-I in the Telugu language, which is the official language of the State, as per the Andhra Pradesh Official Languages Act, 1995.

6. The District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu are requested to take immediate further necessary action in the matter.

7. The Commissioner and Director of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase (Printing Wing), A.P. is requested to publish the notification in the extra-ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR. MANMOHAN SINGH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu.
The District Treasury Officers of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu.
The Commissioner & Director of Printing Stationery & Stores Purchase, A.P.
The Principal Secretary to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary & Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Planning Department.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Finance Department.
The Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, Animal Husbandry Dairy Development & Fisheries
The Prl.Secretary to Government, MA & UD Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, PR & RD Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, RWS & S Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, Women Development & Child Welfare Deptt.
The Director NRSC, Balanagar, Hyderabad.
The Director of IMD, Begumpet, Hyderabad.
The Director, Agro Climate Research Centre Agriculture Research Institute, ANGRAU.
The Director of Economics & Statistics, A.P.
The Commissioner of I&PR Dept. with a request to issue press note to electronic and print media.
The Commissioner, Civil Supplies & Ex. Officio Secretary to Government.
The Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P. Guntur.
The Commissioner of Horticulture, A.P. Guntur.
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P.
The Commissioner, Rural Development.
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj Department,
The Commissioner & Director of School Education,
The Commissioner & Director of Intermediate Education,
The Commissioner, Higher Education,
The Managing Director, A.P. State Civil Supplies Corporation.
The Managing Director, APTRANSCO.
The Director, Animal Husbandry, A.P.
The Director, Health Department, A.P.
The Director, State Audit Dept.
The Director, Groundwater, Department.
The Chief Executive Officer, APSDPS.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health, A.P.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, A.P.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply, A.P.
The Chief Engineer, Public Health, A.P.

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All the Spl.CS/Principal Secretaries in the CM's Office.
The Agriculture & Cooperation Department.
The Education Department.
The Energy Department.
The Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development & Fisheries Department.
The PR&RD (RWS.I, II, III & RD.I, II, III) Department.
The Managing Director, APCOB.

The Finance (FMU-Rev-IC) Department.
The Convener, A.P. State Level Banker's Committee, Andhra Bank, Saifabad, Hyd.
The Managing Director, NABARD, Hyderabad.
The General Administration (Cabinet) Department.
The P.S to Dy. CM (Home & DM)
The P.S. to Dy. CM. (Revenue)
The P.S. to Minister (Finance).
The P.S. to Minister (Agriculture)
The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government.
The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Revenue (DM Accounts) Department, A.P. Secretariat.
The P.S. to Spl. Commissioner, Disaster Management & Ex-officio Joint Secretary to Government.

//FORWARDED ::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE-I

(G.O. MS. NO.4 , REVENUE (DM.II) DEPT, DT.29 .03.2018)

NOTIFICATION

In the circumstances reported by the District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu, the Government hereby declare that Drought exists during the Rabi 2017 -18 in 23 Mandals annexed to this order. The District Collector, YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu are requested to take necessary further action and notify the specific Mandals/specific areas in the Mandal in the District Gazette to enable farmers to avail credit facilities and to take up relief operations. The concerned District Collectors shall ensure deletion of the notified Municipal/Urban areas and areas falling under permanent assured irrigation sources where water is being supplied for crops from drought affected Mandals though for purpose of drinking water only they shall be treated on par with drought affected Mandals.

The District Collectors of YSR Kadapa and Ananthapuramu are requested to furnish (10) copies of the District Gazette Notification to the Government.

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ANNEXURE – II

DECLARED AS DROUGHT AFFECTED MANDALS

(Vide GO Ms. No. 4 , Revenue (DM.II) Dept., dt.29.03.2018)

YSR KADAPA DISTRICT	
Sl. No	**Severe**
1	(1) Mylavaram
2	(2) Rajupalem
3	(3) Yerraguntla
4	(4) Kamalapuram
5	(5) Vallur
6	(6) Atloor
7	(7) Sidhout
8	(8) Chakrayapet
9	(9) Galiveedu
10	(10)Sambepalle
11	(11) T. Sundupalle
12	(12) Chitvel
13	(13)Pullampet
14	(14) Obulavaripalle
15	(15) Railway Kodur
ANANTHAPURAMU DISTRICT	
Moderate	
16	(1) D Hirehal
17	(2) Yadiki
18	(3) Uravakonda
19	(4) Beluguppa
20	(5) Kalyandrug
21	(6) Nambulipulikunta
22	(7) Tanakal
23	(8) Gandlapenta

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